



# BIRD SURVEY REPORT



6<sup>th</sup>  
edition

Coorg Wildlife Society®  
Brahmagiri Bird Survey  
*Exploring the Avian Diversity of  
Virajpet, Kodagu*  
7th & 8th March 2026





PARTICIPANTS 35

*No of Bird species* 101

Checklists 21

*Lifers* 17

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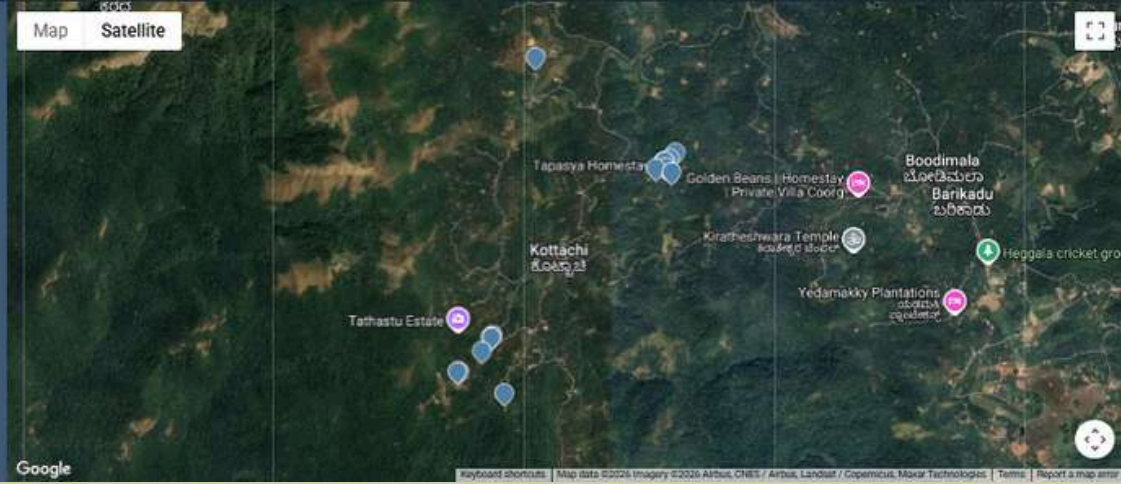
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7 – 8 Mar 2026 (2 days) [Link only](#)

Kodagu, Karnataka, India

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**101**  
Species Observed  
+2 other taxa

**21**  
Checklists

LIFERS [17](#)

## Species Observed

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|    |  |   |
|----|--|---|
| 1  | <b>Indian Peafowl</b> <i>Pavo cristatus</i>                | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Red Spurfowl</b> <i>Gallus lagopus</i>                  | 1 |
| 7  | <b>Gray Junglefowl</b> <i>Gallus sonneratii</i>            | 5 |
| 1  | <b>Rock Pigeon</b> <i>Columba livia</i>                    | 1 |
| 2  | <b>Nilgiri Wood-Pigeon</b> <i>Columba elphinstonii</i>     | 2 |
| 4  | <b>Spotted Dove</b> <i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>            | 3 |
| 3  | <b>Asian Emerald Dove</b> <i>Chalcophaps indica</i>        | 3 |
| 12 | <b>Gray-fronted Green-Pigeon</b> <i>Treron affinis</i>     | 8 |
| 8  | <b>Malabar Imperial-Pigeon</b> <i>Ducula cuprea</i>        | 4 |
| 10 | <b>Greater Coucal</b> <i>Centropus sinensis</i>            | 7 |
| 1  | <b>Chestnut-winged Cuckoo</b> <i>Clamator coromandus</i> ✓ | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Banded Bay Cuckoo</b> <i>Cacomantis sonneratii</i>      | 1 |
| 2  | <b>Gray-bellied Cuckoo</b> <i>Cacomantis passerinus</i> ✓  | 2 |
| 1  | <b>White-rumped Spinetail</b> <i>Zonavena sylvatica</i>    | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Brown-backed Needletail</b> <i>Hirundapus giganteus</i> | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Little Swift</b> <i>Apus affinis</i>                    | 1 |

# RARE SPECIES



## Species Observed

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|    |   |   |
|----|---|---|
| 1  | <b>Chestnut-winged Cuckoo</b> <i>Clamator coromandus</i> ✓    | 1 |
| 2  | <b>Gray-bellied Cuckoo</b> <i>Cacomantis passerinus</i> ✓     | 2 |
| 1  | <b>Glossy Ibis</b> <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i> ✓              | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Legge's Hawk-Eagle</b> <i>Nisaetus kelaarti</i> ✓          | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Booted Eagle</b> <i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i> ✓              | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Brahminy Kite</b> <i>Haliastur indus</i> ✓                 | 1 |
| 23 | <b>Blue-tailed Bee-eater</b> <i>Merops philippinus</i> ✓      | 4 |
| 3  | <b>Stork-billed Kingfisher</b> <i>Pelargopsis capensis</i> ✓  | 2 |
| 1  | <b>Speckled Piculet</b> <i>Picumnus innominatus</i> ✓         | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Lesser Yellownape</b> <i>Picus chlorolophus</i> ✓          | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike</b> <i>Hemipus picatus</i> ✓  | 1 |
| 3  | <b>Jungle Babbler</b> <i>Argya striata</i> ✓                  | 1 |
| 2  | <b>Wayanad Laughingthrush</b> <i>Pterorhinus delesserti</i> ✓ | 1 |
| 1  | <b>Rusty-tailed Flycatcher</b> <i>Ficedula ruficauda</i> ✓    | 1 |
| 2  | <b>Taiga Flycatcher</b> <i>Ficedula albicilla</i> ✓           | 2 |
| 4  | <b>Black-throated Munia</b> <i>Lonchura kelaarti</i> ✓        | 1 |
| 4  | <b>White-rumped Munia</b> <i>Lonchura striata</i> ✓           | 1 |







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